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Sir:

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision dated November 21, 2005 of the Examiner finally rejecting claims 1-11 and 14-20. The items checked below are appropriate:

1. Applicant hereby petitions to extend the time for filing a Notice of Appeal in response to the Office Action Made Final dated November 21, 2005 for two months from February 21, 2006 to April 21, 2006.
2. A [] month extension of time to respond to the Office Action Made Final dated [] was filed on [] with payment of a \$[] fee.
 Applicant hereby petitions for an additional [] month extension of time to respond to the Office Action Made Final.
3. A Request for Oral Hearing before the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences is being filed concurrently herewith.

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